Category	Number of Vacancies
(B) TGT	
English	249
Hindi	31
Sanskrit	78
S. Studies	135
Maths	202
Biology	93
TOTAL:	788

Vacancy Position of PRT and Misc. Category of Teachers as on 31.12.98

Category	Number of Vacancies
1. Primary Teacher	599
2. Drawing Teacher	79
3. PET	359-
4. SUPW	254
5. Music Teacher	32
6. Yoga Teacher	41
TOTAL:	724

Students in National School of Drama

2884. SHRI GANDHI AZAD: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of students admit ted in National School of Drama during the last three years, year-wise;

(b) the number of SC/ST candidates who applied for and were admitted in the National School of Drama during last three years, year-wise;

(c) the number of reserved seats converted into general category during above period, year-wise indicating the detailed reasons; and

(d) the reasons for not filling the re served vacancies in NSD repertory?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) to (c) The National School of Drama Admits 20 students annually. The selection criterion is talent. Four seats out of 20 arc reserved for SC/ST. In the admission notice itself the School makes it clear that if no suitable candidate is available for admission from the reserved category, the seats will be offered to general category candidates. A statement showing the number of SC/ST candidate applied and finally selected for admission during the last three years is as follows:

Year	No. of Candidates applied for admission	Selected admissions
1996	33	2
1997	18	2
1998	32	2

(d) For the National School of Drama Repertory, artists are appointed on contractual basis and therefore, there is no reservation in posts.

Money for Mid-day Meal Scheme

2885. SHRI SANATAN BISI: Will the MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that money allocated for mid-day meal scheme is just not adequate;

(b) what is the actual requirement;

(c) whether it is a fact that in the past the FCI had not released the required foodgrains to all the States due to delayed payments; and

(d) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) Yes, Sir.